THE WISCONSIN REPUBLICAN ASSOciation meets at its Heradquarters, No. 418
Twelfth street northwest, TUESDAY EVENING,
15th instant, at 7 o'clock. All from Wisconsin are deaired to attend. A. T. LONGLEY, President.
EDWIN M. TEUELL, Secretary. felt-21 THERE WILL BE AN EXAMINATION of candidates for appointment on the regular police force, at Police Hendquarters, on WEDNES-DAY, the 16th Instant, at 12 m.

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The Walking Flends. New York, Feb. 13.-The Rowell pedestrian party arrived in New York Saturday mornby which Rowell has made both his former paschampion long-distance pedestrian of the world, who has never been beaten, although John Hughes, | teble. the "Leper," is claimed to have beaten his record in the O'Loary international belt contest at the American Institute last week: Henry Vaughn, the only long distance heel-and-toe walker who has ever approached O'Leavy's record of 520% miles, and whom the ex-champion has repeatedly said be considered the best walker in the world; Charles Barnsley, Rowell's trainer, who accompanied him on his last trip to America; Charles Asplen, Rowell's friend and business man and one of the fastest. fred Longford, Rowell's cousin, who has been in on his first trip to America.

Marriage of the Banker-Baroness. London, Feb. 13.-The marriage of Bar-Oness Burdett-Coutts and William Ashmead Bartlett took place yesterday morning at Christ Church, ply with the provisions of the will, through which they were on the first day of the fight. the Baroness inherits her property. The marriage was legalized by a special license from the Archbishop of Canterbury and performed by Rev.

People Who Died by their Own Hands. New York, Feb. 12 .- The table of suicides in this city during the year 1889, prepared by Nagle registrars of vital statistics, show the number to have been 152, of whom 121 were males and 31 females. Seventy-one were married, and 31 were Germans, \$5 were born in the United States, | outting, 20; leaps from heights, 9; gas, 2; poison,

Stealing Election Returns. Might the county clerk's office was entered through a window and the voice of nineteen of the twenty- York, \$1,000. Total, \$18,050. three voting precincts made away with. It is supnosed to have been the work of some one connected with the Federal court, before which a large number of citizens are to be tried next week | Edward Forbes, a judge of the Supreme Court of on a charge of violation of the election laws.

Socialisis Sentenced.

VIENNA, Feb. 13.—Judgment has been pronounced on thirteen Socialists, who have been on trial for the last few days at the Vienna Assizes. One was convicted of high treason and sentenced to four years' imprisonment; another was senteneed to six months' imprisonment. All the

others were acquitted. England will Compel It. Landon, Feb. 13.-It is authoritatively stated that Mr. Goschen, the British ambassador to Turkey, gave no indication at Berlin or Vienna of

any intention on the part of England to compel

the Porte ultimately to concede a new frontier to

DISTRICT BREVITIES.

Weather Indications. For the Middle Atlantic States, including the District of Columbia, clear, or partly cloudy weather, stationary or lower temperature, northwestly winds, rising barometer.

The thermometer yesterday ranged as follows: 7 a. m., 29°; 11 a. m., 32°; 2 p. m., 34°; 3 p. m., 34°; 9

Prominent Arrivals. Adiagion-Raymond excursion party,

numbering forty-six, New England; S. B. Smith, William T. Hatch, Rev. H. M. Nelson, jr., New York; H. N. Nelson, Boston; J. E. Briggs, New Jersey Riggs-Wash McLean, Cincinnati; W. S. Bodley, W. Vanburg, New York; J. Sherman, U. S. A.; S. Borden, Massachusetts Willard's-Judge and Mrs. W. W. Carruth, Boston; Caleb A. Dyer, G. O. Ellis, New York; Colonel John Allman, San Francisco; O. Wheeler, E. A. Sherden, New York; Hon. W. H. Armstrong, Pennsylvania..... Ebbitt-C.D. Byer, J. E. Blaine, W. P. Clark, U. S. A .: Colonel C. N. McGhee, Tennessee; H. T. Munson, New York; Dr. P. D. Keyser, Philadelphia, Pa.; E. Cahill, New York; R. E. Fish, Montana; H. J. Wood, Utica, N. Y.; Hon. D. P. Dyer, St. Louis .. Imperial-R. G. Ball, New York; W. F. Dusenbury, Boston; W. O. Adams, New York; John R. Trumbell, North Carolina; A. R. Barton and wife, Baltimore, Md.: John Y. Stone, Glenwood, Iowa; A. R. Anderson, Sidney, Iowa.

If such floods become frequent stilts will be fashionable Captain J. T. Whiting, of Detroit, Mich.,

at the Ebbitt House. Hon. W. H. Armstrong, of Williamsort, Pa., is stopping at Willard's.

Captain James B. Eads returned from New York yesterday, and is stopping at Willard's. The National Museum building was lighted up Saturday night, and made a pretty sight. rday night, twenty-three of which were

The inaugural committee on hall and promenade reception met last Saturday evening, but transacted only routine business. Mr. John Allman, of San Francisco, is topping at Willard's while attending to business natters in the Executive Departments.

During Friday night a vandal broke e iron pickets off the fence in front of Mrs. offered \$5,000 reward for him. He was afterward rench's residence, 187 East Capitol street. John Holmes, a venerable citizen of East Washington, died Saturday morning at his ome, No. 655 Pennsylvania avenue southeast.

orthwest, but the thieves were frightened away The Fernandina and Cedar Keys plate. Railroad in Florida has been purchased by E. N. Dickerson, of New York, and C. D. Willard, of this

Senator Withers being water-bound in trict appropriation bill did not meet Saturday A thief entered Samuel Kirby's house,

about leaving with his booty when he was rightened away by a lady who gave an alarm. The Secretary of the Republican State entral Committee of Arkansas, Hon. James Torrens, has secured accommodations for fifty prominent Republicans from that State, who will be sent at the inauguration.

George Lee, a colored man, was arrested Saturday night for obtaining goods under false oretenses from Mr. P. P. Little, a grocery man. The pictures of the three men who stole the Lee borrowed a shovel from Little, pretending that \$47,097.65 from the Treasury Department in June, f he had the shovel he could get work.

frightened by an engine at the Census Office yesterday, and showed more spirit than hill-horses are generally credited with having. The boy was three sons, all notorious counterfeiters, several thrown and injured severely on the pavement. Yesterday morning a colored man amed Samuel Harris found a dead infant at the | children fill the pages. orner of Third street and Pennsylvania avenue. It was taken to the Seventh precinct station, where the coroner viewed it and gave a certificate of

Dr. Samuel Watson, of Memphis, Tenn., spoke on the "origin of man" to a crowded house at the Tallmadge Hall Thought Exchange yester-day afternoon, and was followed by speakers of both sexes, who gave their views in five and ten No further testimony was taken in the

case of John Silas Marshall Johnson, on trial for the murder of James E. Johnson, in the Criminal

Interoceanic Matters.

"Interoceanic Ship Canal Company, and for other | covered. purposes," Objection was made to the reception ing on the Abyssluis, now of the Williams & of this report by Mr. Page on the ground that the and having a club-foot had a good excuse for Guion line, although formerly of the Cunard line, report had not received the sanction of a majority | carrying a heavy stick. He was arrested June 17, of the committee. After a lengthly discussion, sages. The party consists of Charles Rowell, in which many members participated, on motion same time; one was sentenced to eight years and

Matthews and Billings.

The Senate Judiciary Committee will it is almost a foregone conclusion that no final action will be taken in either case. The Democrats on | tentiary at Columbus, Ohio. the committee have, it is reported, about reached the conclusion that there should be a reinforceten or twenty-mile runners in the world, and Al- until after the inauguration of another administra- cember last, when eleven were captured and their tion that the new President may be moved to ap- | tools with them, America for several year- engaged as a show man- point Senator Thursaan, or some other good Dem-

> The River and Harber Bill. The fate of the river and harbor bill looking.

was the subject of much conversation among | It is said that Tom Ballard offered to show the Down street, Fiecadilly. The ceremony was improvement of their particular localities pro- would be impossible to counterfeit, and was willstrictly private, only a dozen or so of the nearest vided for by the bill gave signs of painful appre- ing to remain in jail while it was being tested. thirty-seven members out of forty-six, who prerelatives being present. Mr. La Caita acted as Mr. hensions of its final defeat. The feeling created even if it required years; but the Government de-Bartlett's best man, and Sir Francis Burdett, uncle by Sam Cox's assault upon the Commerce Com- clined, as it could have no dealings with criminals. of the Baroness, gave away the bride, who ap- mittee has widened and deepened to an extent Mr. George A. Rock is the custodian of the peared in the best of health and spirits. Previous | that alarms the members of that committee and | plates, molds, arms, &c., captured from time to to the ceremony, Mr. Bartlett assumed the name of other beneficiaries under the bill, and they are not time, and, as he has been in the office ten years, Burdett-Coutts, in order, it is understood, to com- now nearly so confident nor half as arrogant as has quite a fund at his command of facts, inci-

Two Destructive Fires. WATERBURY, CONN., Feb. 13.-The three-Henry White, rector of Chapel-Royal, Savoy. The and-a-half story brick building, 160 by 40 feet, honeymoon will be spent at the scat of Admiral known as the button shop of the Scoville Manu- furnishes the following information in regard to facturing Company, was totally destroyed by fire at three o'clock Sanday morning. The loss on the building and machinery is estimated at from \$175-NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—General Herman flit, formarly business manager of the New York of employment over 269 facturing Company, was totally destroyed by fire at three o'clock Sanday morning. The loss on the building and machinery is estimated at from \$175-opot, New Bedford, New Orleans, New York, Philadelphia, Port Huron, and San Francisco, during the loss of the high est cost examples are in the catalogue. This will delphia, Port Huron, and San Francisco, during the loss of the high est cost examples are in the catalogue. This will be the last opportunity of obtaining such of the high est cost examples are in the catalogue. This will delphia, Port Huron, and San Francisco, during the loss of the high est cost examples are in the catalogue. This will the month ended January 31, 1881, 15,224 passen-Uhl, formerly business manager of the New York | misfortune throws out of employment over 200 | the month ended January 31, 1881, 15,224 passen-Stants-Zeitung, and a prominent member of the hands, but causes no suspension of business in the gers, of whom 13,134 were immigrants, 1,554 citi-National Guard of the State of New York, shot | brass mills. While the flames were still raging at | zens of the United States returned from abroad, himself by accident this afternoon at his home, No. 140 East Sixteenth street, and died in a few minutes. The General was in the act of taking a minutes. The General was in the act of taking a Remington revolver from a closel, for the nurses of the factory and a loss of short lend of the factory and a loss of the factory and short lend of the factory of the button shop, a second alarm was sounded, and and 536 aliens, not intending to reside in the United States. Of this total number of immigrants will leave from Baltimore and Ohio depot at 7:10 and 536 aliens, not intending to reside in the United States. Of this total number of immigrants will leave from Baltimore and Ohio depot at 7:10 and 536 aliens, not intending to reside in the United States. Of this total number of immigrants will leave from Baltimore and Ohio depot at 7:10 and 536 aliens, not intending to reside in the United States. Of the factory of the Remington revolver from a closet, for the purpose destruction of the factory and a loss of about land, 312; Ireland, 737; Germany, 4,333; Austria, of cleaning it, when the weapon was discharged \$12,000, which is fully covered by insurance. At 319; Sweden, 271; Norway, 96; Denmark, 66; and the ball passed through the left breast, near his juncture a third alarm was received from an- France, 207; Switzerland, 389; Netherlands, 70; other district, but the fire was extinguished with- Italy, 1,027; Russia, 126; Poland, 35; Hungary, 512; out loss. Great excitement prevailed. The origin Dominion of Canada, 2,027; China, 547; Australia, of the fires is unknown.

A Big Fire in Baltimore.

single, and 12 widows. Of the whole number, 64 Michael T. Horner & Co., corner of Chew and land, 29,265; Scotland, 7,586; China, 3,213; all cards. Ensor streets, which was entirely destroyed, to- other countries, 63.315. and 20 in Ireland. The means of self-destruction gether with the warehouse adjoining, owned and were: Shooting, 39; drowning, 11; hanging, 28; occupied by the same firm. The damage to the buildings is estimated at \$9,000, and to the stock \$20,000, upon which there is the following insur-Galveston, Tex., Feb. 13,-A dispatch Fire Insurance, American Exchange, New York, from Marshall, Texas, to the News says on Friday and Hartford, of Hartford, Conn., \$1,500 each; Eagleston, Colonel A. J. Bowen, Dr. White, of Bal-Springfield, Mass., \$4,500; and People's, of New | timore; Mr. F. M. Bradley, and Hon. D. P. Hollo-

> Death of a Judge. Springfield, Mass., Feb. 13.—Charles Massachusetts in 1848, died at Northampton this

afternoon, aged eighty-five years.

ARMY AND NAVY NEWS. The leave of absence granted Surgeon F. I. Baily, U. S. A., is extended one month. The general court martial appointed to by them on Durham tobacco. neet at Rock Island Arsenal, Illinois, January 20

Leave of absence from January 26 to March 25, is granted Second Lieutenant W. H Wheeler, Eleventh Infantry. First Lieutenant James A. Buchanan, Fourteenth Infantry, is relieved from duty at Fort Cameron, Utah Territory, and will report in person to the Adjutant-General of the army for special

NATIONAL ROGUES.

A Glance at the Pictures in the Secret-

Service Gallery. The secret service division was estab lished in April, 1865, and has become an important aid to the Government in the detection, punishment, and prevention of crime, particularly in the detection and prevention of passing counterfelt money. The chief office, under the direction of Colonel James Jay Brooks, occupies a small and retired room in the Treasury Department, but its agents are at work all over this great country, and many curious things have been brought to light by them, which are preserved in the office and are open for the inspection of any one wishing to examine them. A large number of counterfeits are no doubt in

circulation which have not yet been detected, but the most of those already discovered have been arranged in a large album. Among them is a twentydollar note, which has been so successfully, executed with pen and ink that few persons, except they are experts, can detect the difference between the counterfeit and the genuine. It is the work of a consummate artist, and was first passed at New Orleans, and was circulated throughout the country and finally captured at Buffalo. The counterfeiter is still at large, and no doubt is busily engaged in preparing more of the same kind. It is curious that the plate for the genuine thousand-dollar bond and the counterfeit also should

have been engraved by the same person; it is very rare that persons employed by the Government for this purpose prove false to their trust. This man, Charles H. Smith, was arrested October 22, 1880, and is now serving a term of thirty years in the penitentiary. A five-dollar note has been changed to fifty dol-

from revenue stamp, and pasting it on. The note is still good for five dollars, and the Government would redeem it at that value. There are two beautiful one-hundred-dollar notes of the issue of 1862 which it is hard to

The police made fifty-four arrests Sat- realize are not worth the paper they are printed The highest note which has been counterfeited s the one-thousand-dollar note.

> album which was captured in Buffalo, November, 1874, and was the work of the famous Ballard family. This family were all notorious counterfeiters, male and female. Tom, the leader, escaped from Ludlow-street iail while awaiting trial, and the Government

retaken and convicted, and is now serving a term of thirty years in Albany penitentiary. Fibre paper was first used by the Government in 1869, and it was thought impossible to counterfeit An attempt was made Saturday night | it: but the men who are too indolent to work and rob Mrs. Hermann's house, No. 1112 Sixth street | depend upon their wits for a living soon found a

way to imitate this. It is done by scratching the

have been captured at different times, some for five-cent pieces and some for half-dollars, and some plaster molds for making one dollars. The Alexandria, the Senate sub-committee on the Dis- latter are more frequently used than the metal

A number of pictures of criminals have been collected, and they make an interesting study. No. 413 Eighth street, Saturday night and was In almost every case "criminal" is branded upon One very repulsive face was pointed out as that

of a young man who robbed and burned the postoffice at Springfield, Pa. Another, a woman whose history is remarkable. She has served a term in prison, her first husband died in prison, her father was a criminal, her son-in-law is serving fifteen years in prison, and her present husband is in prison in Louisville, Ky.

The pictures of the three men who stole the 1875, have a prominent place. A very bad face A hill-horse, ridden by a hill-boy, was | belongs to Nelson Driggs, from whom was cap- | the bill, with the addition of a fifth division for the tured \$200,000 at one time. He is now serving a colored schools, but suggesting that the number of term in the prison at Ioliet III An old father and trustees be definitely fixed at eleven, two from three sons, all notorious counterfeiters, several very ugly and stupid-looking women, a number of colored persons, a group of Sicilians, and several Those persons who claim it is impossible to

Americanize John Chinaman will be obliged to change their opinion after a look into the Rogue's Gallery. They are not only expert counterfeiters, but are the most adroit passers of the spurious Some of the criminals object very strongly to

having their pictures taken, and not long since in New York an officer was knocked down and stabbed by one he was forcing to be photographed. Many artifices are resorted to for concealing the false money. One of the most common is the cane Court last Saturday. The argument will begin to-day, and it is expected that the case will go to the wooden stick, hollowed out. The notes are rolled in | members. A social sensation has been caused by this and attached to a wire, so that one can be the publication of a card by J. J. Noah, recalling taken out at a time. In one of the Southern States the invitations sent out for the wedding of his a quantity of counterfeit money was put into cirdaughter and Mr. William R. Lewis at Ascension
Church next Wednesday, "in consequence of recent
disclosures from friends and prominent citizens,
affecting the personal integrity of Mr. Lewis." search failed to discover any money about him; but he was put under surveillance, and one day, The House Committee on Interoceanic going into a store where the detective was stand-Canal, through its chairman, Mr. King, last Satur- ing, he accidentally dropped his cane. The ears of day favorably reported a bill incorporating the a detective as well as his eyes are always wide Lambert also concur in the recommendations in Maritime Canal Company of Nicauragua, and the open, and, as the cane had a very peculiar ring, he the memorial, the former holding that the plan same was placed on the calendar. The same gen- | decided to arrest the man and examine the stick, | proposed would secure a pro-rata repr esentation tleman then reported a bill to incorporate the when lo! the secret was out, and the money dis-

Charles Johnson was one of the cane criminals 1879, at Erie, Pa., and his brother Thomas at the of Mr. Cox, the whole subject was laid on the the other ten. Their father was arrested in Canada after this, and the plates were captured by the

Canadian authorities. There is a picture of Governor Allen hanging in the office over the gaslight, which was entake up the Matthews and Billings cases to-day, but graved by a counterfeiter, one Charles Ulrich, while serving his term of twelve years in the peni-

Being so large and with more opportunities of escaping arrest. New York is the headquarters for ment of the Democratic minority on the Supreme | criminals of this kind. The last arrests were bench, and hope by deferring action upon these | made in that city between the 9th and 14th of De-

A manufacturer of counterfeit money never ager, and who was the first to greet the champion ocrat, to fill the vacancy for which Matthews has passes it himself, but sells it as far from him as possible, and it is astonishing to learn how many women are engaged in this business. Some of them are middle-aged and quite respectable-

statesmen yesterday, and many interested in the Government a process of making money which it standing at one of the telegraph offices in the cordents, &c., connected with the business.

113, and from all other countries, 201. The number of immigrants arrived at the above-named ports to points south. during the seven months ended January 31, 1881. BALTIMORE, Feb. 13 .- A fire broke out was as follows: From Germany, 77,407; Dominion of Canada, 74,839; England and Wales, 34,292; Ire-

The Dashaways.

The regular Sunday night meeting of ance: Fireman's, of Baltimore, \$5,000; Baltimore the Dashaway Reform Club in Tailmadge Hall Fire, \$1,500; Howard, New York, \$1,550; New York | last night was crowded, enthusiastic, and interesting. Addresses were made by the president, Alex. way. Mr. Babbitt recited a temperance poem. About thirty persons signed the pledge.

A Tobacco Trade-Mark Case.

Justice Cox last Saturday on the application of Blackwell & Co. granted a restraining of all kinds order against the Commissioner of Patents, returnable on the 19th instant. The plaintiffs are of North Carolina, and claim that a patent is about to be issued of a trade-mark to a Baltimore firm that is an infringement upon the trade-mark used

California Favors Ends' Ballway. Captain James B. Eads received a telegram from Sacramento Saturday, dated 12th inst., which reads: "A resolution indorsing your scheme passed the house to-day. It undoubtedly expresses the sentiments of the people of this State." This dispatch was from W. H. Parks, speaker of the ouse of representatives, of California.

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Corner Sixth Street and Pennsylvania Aveority on the article a price of the sentiments of the people of this State." This dispatch was from W. H. Parks, speaker of the ouse of representatives, of California.

Wilber Cod-Liver of the sent restored from confirmed Consumption by the use of this original preparation, and the grateful parties themselves, have, by recommending it and asknowledging its wonderful efficacy, given the article and propagation. The Cod-Liver of the sentiments of the people of this State." This dispatch was from W. H. Parks, speaker of the ocupied with the Lime, which is itself a restoration.

TO-NIGHT'S AMUSEMENS

At the National, Ford's Opera-House, and the Theatre Comique.

Goodwin's Froliques Company will commence an engagement at the National Theatre tonight, appearing in their new burlesque entitled Hobbies," which has been highly successful wherever it has been presented this season. The imitations given by Mr. Goodwin of the prominent actors of the day are alone sufficient to attract the largest audiences, even if the supporting company was not so complete and full as is advertised. The bright and catchy musical work, "Olivette,"

since its pronounced success in Paris, has become the comic opera semation in London and New York, and its reputation is rapidly extending as the only real success since "Pinafore," In New York it has been given at the Bijou, Park, and Fifth Avenue Theatres. In Philadelphia it is anfounced at the Arch and Broad; in Boston, at the Gaiety and Park, and it will be presented here tonight at Ford's, with a superb company, large horus and expensive seenical and costumal efets. The songs are fresh, full of vivacity and musical beauty. They are sung in the house and whistled in the street as soon as they become known from the stage. The music is bright, mirthful, full of pretty airs and original effects; the crying song is really a gem in its way, while many of the songs and much of the music of the chorus are destined to be very popular. Then the plot of the opera is not only good, but full of quaint and curious situations and surprising changes. The company to appear here is very complete and comprises a decided musical reputation, with special personal adaptation for the various parts. It will be managed by Mr. Charles E. Ford, who was the first to produce Pluafore with success in this country.

lars by taking a cipher from a ten-dollar note, or The Theatre Comique advertises a large number of specialty performers, embracing the Arada Brothers, Egyptian Jugglers; McCarthy and Munroe, Chinese sketch artists: Rickits Brothers, grotesque artists, and Trudell and Rowan. In addition to this the full strength of the regular company will assist, and a most enjoyable entertainment may be predicted. Jake Budd, the genial manager, was of the opinion on Saturday that he would be able to give the "Female Bathers" this There is an unfinished ten-dollar note in the week, with real water; but the flood subsided, and necessitated the above change of bill.

SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

The Plan of Reorganization Advocated by Twenty-four Ex-Trustees. The following memorial, signed by ex-

School Trustees, is to be presented to Congress to Your memorialists, cx-Trustees of Public Schools of the District of Columbia, respectfully represent:
That Senate amendment to District code bill, as

printed, Section 241, providing for separating the District into school divisions, and for representa-District into school divisions, and for representation therefrom on the school board, is objectionable because of great inequality.

The first division, Georgetown, contains thirty
schools; the second division, west half of Washington, contains eighty schools; the third division, east half of Washington, contains 159 schools;
and the fourth division, Uniontown, contains
nine schools; while the existing seventh division,
colored schools, is not provided for at all.

The Uniontown division is to have equal representation on the School Board with the others,
each to have "at least one trustee." Then the apeach to have "at least one trustee." Then the ap-pointing power is to name the other fifteen trustees where it pleases, and, of course, may name them all from Georgetown or all from Uniontown. Your memorialists also object to the provision definite, "not more than nineteen nor less than five." It introduces an element of uncertainty into the management of school affairs, which we

think should be carefully guarded against. Your memorialists have learned from newspaper reports of proceedings of a late meeting of the present school trustees that they consent, or a majority of those present consented, to the divisions each of the first four divisions and three from the fifth division.

The objection of inequality applies even more strongly to this proposition than to the other. It gives to the two suburbs, Georgetown and Uniontown, with only thirty-nine schools, equal representation on the school board with the two great city divisions having 239 schools Of course the colored schools, being in a division by themselves, are not included in this statement. Such discrimination against the people of Washington in favor of Georgelown and Uniontown we believe will tend to promote discontent and do

We think a fair way to reduce the membership of the school board, certainly fair to Georgetown and the county, would be to leave the school divisions as they now are and reduce the number of trustees in the five city divisions from two to one each; and the number in the sixth division, county, from five members to two; and the num-ber in the seventh division, colored schools of the two cities, from four to two members-in all nine

The ex-trustees who have signed the paper are Messrs. A. C. Richards, George White, George W. Dyer, S. Wolf, B. Robinson, A. Hart, Joseph M. Wilson, A. M. Scott, R. B. Detrick, Henry Johnson, Edward Baldwin, M. Lawrence, Charles E. Hovey, toward anold man who carried a heavy cane, but all R. B. Ferguson, William B. Moore, E. Champlin, Thomas Somerville, Fred. W. Moffat, Thomas B. Marche, E. F. French, Isaac N. Cary, John Randolph, E. C. Ford, and John W. Clark.

Messrs, John H. Brooks, B. G. Lovejoy, and T. A. to the colo red schools,

To-day in the Senais,

There is likely to be a quadrangular contest in the Senate to-day upon the qustion of consideration. The Post-Office Appropriation bill, with its \$1,000,000 ocean-mail," rider," is the unfinished business, but it is to be antagonized by Senator Bayard, on the one hand, with the funding bill; by Senator Williams, with the Mexican War pension bill, and by Senator Voorhees, with the bill to provide for the desceration of Judiciary Square by the erection thereon of a Government building for the accommation of the Library of Congress. The probability is that the real contest will be between the Post-Office bill and the fund-

Telegraphic Franks.

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